

The speech of the Legislature which opens today will be memorable as marking the introduction of a comprehensive scheme for opening up the northern portion of the Province by railroads. How many times it is proposed to arrange for at this time, and where these are to run, are points which naturally and properly have not been made public but reserved for scrutiny beforehand by the members of the House. It has been definitely given out by Premier Sifton, however, that the program will be one providing for the construction of such

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of the world at all. Dr. Thummett said that the railroad was commuted into nearly one-third its original value. He said that the railroad was not only a loss to the investors in fact and practice, of up to 75 per cent, but that the railroad capitalists were more drastic. The founder's works of modern "high finance" are done.

The high price of cement here in the United States is due, however, to the exactions of the Central Railroad of the Pacific, the only railroad to have the advantage to be derived from the fact that it is the only railroad in the country where the axle should be approximately 100 feet long. It is shown in the series of articles, "The Road to Ruin," in the *Washington Post*, that the price of cement here is 100 per cent more than in Portland, Ore., or Portland, Me., and that the same price per ton is based on the fact that the Central Railroad of the Pacific is the only one where it would be 45 to 50 cents more, instead of being, as it is, 75 cents more per ton.

Steel Corporation Investigation

Duluth, Nov. 24.—The testimony yesterday before the United States district court in Duluth, Minn., in the investigation by Kenneth Merritt of Duluth, Minn., into the alleged frauds of the Steel Corporation, brought to light the fact that the corporation had paid \$125,000 per year in interest on \$2,500,000 of bonds in 1912, when the company issued that amount of bonds. The *Rockefeller* will

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